

NEBRASKA CAMPUS SOCIAL WHIRL

SEEN ON THE CAMPUS.

There may be parties and parties but never one like the one LaVerne Luedtke attended. This handsome Kappa Sig returned from Norfolk the other day and proudly displayed a gleaming sheriff's badge which he declared he got at a party. The funny part of it is that the badge is the real thing and might be used to good advantage at some time or other.

Although we have heard of no candy and cigars, it is rumored that Doris Weaver, Alpha Chi Omega, has the pins of Gavin Humphrey, Pi K. A. The brothers are clamoring for cigars, and just incidentally, Mr. Humphrey will be leaving in June for the east where he has received a naval appointment. Here's hoping the Alpha Chi O's will be enjoying candy one of these days.

The Theta's, erstwhile sorority songsters of the campus, were a wee bit heckled the other day by one of their rehearsals for Ivy day singing. While practicing on the front porch several masculine passers-by would applaud wildly at the end of each song, honking horns, and vying to see who could make the most noise.

We wonder if the worried expression which Ross Martin is wearing of late is due to Kosmet show tickets or if there is any trouble afoot about the current heart interest at the Delta Gamma house. 'Stoo bad that activities take up so much of a man's time, don't you think?

NATIONAL convention of the National Women's Athletic association will be held at Minneapolis this week end. Those attending from Nebraska are Jeanne Palmer, newly elected president of W. A. A. Georganna Lehr, treasurer of W. A. A.; Ruth Fulton, member of the council, and Miss Matilda Shelby, W. A. A. adviser.

JEAN Brownlee of Omaha and Miss Claudia Moore of the dancing department of the university will leave June 24 for Berlin where they will study dancing at the Mary Wigman school. They will attend the Olympics and the international dance festival, after which they will make an extended tour of other European countries.

CHI Phi auxiliary will entertain members of the active chapter and their guests at an outdoor buffet supper at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Orr Sunday evening. Chaparrones for the affair will be Dr.

WHAT'S DOING

Thursday.
Kappa Phi alumnae, Miss Helen Chase, 8 o'clock.
Alpha Chi Omega Mothers club, dessert luncheon, chapter house, 1 o'clock.
Emergency Peace campaign luncheon, Y. M. C. A., 12; mass meeting, St. Paul church, 7:45.

Friday.
Alpha Delta Theta house party, 9 o'clock.
Annual all-barb banquet, Eileen Smith hall, 6 o'clock.
Zeta Tau Alpha dinner dance at Lincoln hotel.
Alpha Omicron Pi, house party, 9 p. m.

Saturday.
Phi Delta Theta, banquet, Cornhusker hotel.
Pi Beta Phi, dinner, 7 o'clock, Lincoln hotel.
Zeta Beta Tau dinner dance, Lincoln hotel.

Sunday.
Chi Phi buffet supper at home of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Orr, 6:30 o'clock.
Delta Gamma buffet supper, chapter house, 6:30 o'clock.

and Mrs. Pool, Dr. and Mrs. Orr, and Mrs. Melana Daniels. About forty couples are expected to be present.

GUEST of honor recently at the Kappa Sigma house was Maj. J. P. Horan of the military department. Following dinner he presented a brief talk.

MEMBERS of Alpha Delta Theta will entertain at a house party Friday evening. Stars and crescent moons will be carried out in the decoration scheme. Chaparrones for the affair will be Dr. and Mrs. Rapp and Mrs. Holyoke, house mother. About 50 couples are expected to attend.

MOTHERS club of Delta Upsilon entertained members of the Omaha club at luncheon at the chapter house. Decorations were carried out in the spring motif with yellow jonquils as a center for the luncheon table. Following the luncheon, Mrs. Guy C. Harris reviewed "Old Jules." About 30 were present for the affair.

also help the peace-minded people develop effective political action. Seeks Cooperation.

A third method of working for peace that the campaign is striving to make possible is thru education and action in the various communities, colleges, churches, young people's organizations, and the like, and by means of deputation teams to the neighboring communities.

The campaign will attempt to obtain cooperation from others, since all groups and individuals who are in sympathy with the purpose of the campaign are invited to cooperate with it to any point consistent with their aim.

Because of the great threat of war today, organizers of the emergency campaign feel that no time is to be lost. They believe that many people must lay down their present tasks and throw themselves into the great struggle.

FORUM PRESENTS WARE, GISH TALK ON SUBSIDIZATION

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minent question, subsidization of athletics. "I am anxious that students show as much interest in this Forum as they have in the two previous ones," he declared. "If they do this, the third open forum cannot fail to be successful."

The forums have been arranged this year because of student demand," stated Irving Hill, president of the student council. "Their chief purpose is to serve as a means for students to present their views and arguments on vital questions of the university. It is, therefore, up to the students to show their interest in this major problem of the university by listening without prejudice to the presentation of both sides of the issue before forming an opinion."

SO SING BROTHER SING!

With the interfraternity sing less than two weeks away, Greek organizations all over the campus are unlimbering their voices and preparing to let themselves go. Tuesday noon, the D. G.'s practised outdoors for the first time this year, to the edification of listening Kappa Deltas and Sigma Kappas. Alpha Chi Omega traipses in a body to the school of music every afternoon at 5 to give the music faculty a treat. Their excuse is that their house is too far from the center of things to be a convenient meeting place. The A. T. O's and the Beta's have challenged several outdoor practices to their credit, but other fraternities still hesitate to let next-door houses hear the worst. Sigma Nu proudly announces the completion of its second practice this week.

New regulations for the sing are that each group shall give only one song instead of the customary two. Those old standbys, "I Love You Truly" and "Theta Lips" will appear again this year, while the Delta Gamma's try a change with "Delta Gamma Rose." Campus basses and tenors who were not asked to sing with the rest of the fraternity are forming "Grudge" clubs, whose chief end is to sit about the front steps and serenade their more fortunate brothers during sing practice. And those selected, who failed to appreciate the honor will spend the rest of the year paying fines for non-appearance at practices.

MOTHERS club of Delta Gamma will entertain members of the active chapter and their escorts at a buffet supper Sunday evening at the chapter house. Mrs. H. P. Lau is in charge of arrangements for the affair and about 50 couples are expected to attend.

CHI Phi auxiliary met for a dessert luncheon at the chapter house with fifteen present. Following luncheon election of next year's officers took place. New officers are Mrs. Herbert Potter, president; Mrs. Carl Dalling, vice-president; and Mrs. Howard Hadley, secretary-treasurer. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Perry Jennings, Mrs. Dalling, and Mrs. Melana Daniels.

RECENTLY announced is the marriage of Miss Marian W. Lee of Pittsburgh, Pa., to Glen E. Jefferson of Lincoln which took place at Cumberland, Md., April 10. Mr. Jefferson is a graduate of the university.

CELEBRATIONS IN ALL NATIONS HONOR WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

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a cringing weazened little creature."

It is in England, however, according to Miss Howell, that the Shakespearean festival reaches its height. The new Stratford theater, built soon after the old one burnt 10 years ago, is the scene of one play after another. The theater, designed by a brilliant woman architect, has an Elizabethan stage and modern pit. In the center of the balcony, the seats are so arranged that they can be removed and the box of the Prince of Wales substituted.

Actors imported.

Well known actors are imported from London for the gala week, and streams of people come from all parts of the world to be present. Americans are as active in this as the English, and the theater is built largely thru their donations.

"An interesting feature that I found when I was in Stratford, three years ago," Miss Howell commented, "was the line in front of the theater where one could get the choicest and most inexpensive seats. One stood there anywhere from half an hour to an hour and a half, waiting in line. In London old soldiers sometimes entertain the persons in the line while they wait."

Dramas Should be Seen.

"But what we are trying to do with our festival in Nebraska," Hunter explained, "is to establish the same cultural precedent here that is observed all over Europe. Present day Shakespearean study is confined in America almost entirely to the classroom. Shakespeare is definitely not a 'closed dramatist.' While his plays are rich in cultural meaning and are exceptionally well suited to scholarly study, they are primarily dramas and to be appreciated should be seen and acted as well as read."

10,136 Attend Kansas Relays; Add Olympic Contributions to Fund

LAWRENCE, Kas., April 24.—Official attendance at the Kansas relays was 10,136. The athletic management had agreed to contribute 10 cents from each admission for the Olympic travel fund, and this will accordingly amount to \$101,360. To this will be added the \$75,460 collected by the Jay James from the spectators, making the Kansas contribution to the Olympic travel fund \$176,820.

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DR. HANSON TALKS AT BAPTISTS' DISCUSSION

Shanghai Professor Tells of Governments in Schools of Germany, China.

Dr. Victor Hanson, professor of political science at the University of Shanghai, spoke in an informal discussion Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist student house on the governments of China and Germany and the university.

"One of the most incredible sights in America is the automobiles lined up around school buildings," said Hanson. "The wealth over here after being there is remarkable; what poverty is." The few millionaires who are in China live in an acme of luxury. At a party you see nothing less than expensive automobiles and marvelous jewelry.

Chinese Analyze Selves.

The Chinese have analyzed themselves and found they have to fight Japan with more than their mouths. They have found that there are certain weaknesses in their people they would have to overcome. The New Life movement has brought about a new spirit of patriotism on the part of all the people. "I feel that there has been a lot of progress made by the movement which is particularly aimed at resurrection of the moral, physical and intellectual qualities of the people."

In speaking of the Chinese students in the American universities Dr. Hanson said that the Chinese politicians are gathering about them highly trained men to act as their supporters. For this reason they send many students to the United States and other countries to school. These men are expected to help him while in the country in which they are studying.

Difficulty May be Remedied.

China has been said to be between the "devil and the deep blue sea." Russia on one side, is advocating communism thru abundant propaganda, and Japan on the other, is causing her great humiliation by her forceful grabs for territory. This, however, may be remedied if the movement is entirely successful and if it doesn't take too long.

KOSMET CHORUS SACRIFICES COMFORT FOR ART'S SAKE

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Don Bohem "Mammy" during a romantic scene beneath the old oak tree. It was just a slip of the tongue, for Bill was several acts behind the rest of the play.

Phelps Has Fun.

Thurston Phelps has a lot of fun running around on the stage as a good looking chorus member.

The hat of George Markley comes off too easily. He leaned far back in the arms of one member of the dancers and his hat hit a manly chest. This was not included in the act, but George was nonchalant.

Clayton Schwenk has a lot of fun working the spot. Last year at the final performance Bob Shellenberg shined a yellow and green spot on a certain cast member singing a song. The lack of beauty produced by this effect was remarkable. Similar things may be expected Friday night from the ex-president of Kosmet.

And down with a crash went chorus boy, pardon us, we mean girl, in the middle of the front row of the first number Tuesday night. It is debatable whether Buz Fonda tripped him or whether the poor guy was just trying to get a laugh!

AG PREPARES FOR FAIR'S ELABORATE STUDENT PAGEANT

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growth of the grain industry in America.

Students have been working daily since before spring vacation, making costumes for all 400 people in the show. Special properties are also being constructed by the committee.

With only two and a half weeks before the production, practice is being taken up intensively, accord-

ing to Miss Burkman. The cast of episode I and II is practicing every Tuesday and Wednesday evening, and episode II and IV practice each Thursday. This schedule will be continued until after next week, when dress rehearsals will replace it on May 5 and 6.

Mary Carnahan and John Clymer are co-directors of episode I; Emma Mauch and Howard Peterson are in charge of episode II; Ila Fern Hallstrom, Alice Soukup and Ralph Bruce of episode III and LaVerne Peterson, Darrell Bauder, Josephine McCueley and Vincent Jacobson of episode IV. The Mummies play, which is in the third episode, is being directed by Dick Lavery, and adds a great deal of humor and action to the production, according to the managers.

KOSMET EXPECTS FULL HOUSE AT LAST SHOWS

Grand Island Audiences to See Final Performance Friday, May 1.

Capacity crowds are expected tonight and tomorrow by Bill Garlow, business manager, as Kosmet Klub prepares to close its musical comedy, "Southern Exposure."

Grand Island audiences will view the show on Friday, May 1, when Leiderkranz, Grand Island music organization, sponsors a presentation in the Leiderkranz theater. The entire cast of 33 together with the Beck-Jungbluth orchestra will make the trip.

The cast includes: Donald Boehm, Larry Norton; William Strong, Caroline, Paschal Stone, Louise; Irving Hill, Colonel Horation Q. Wintergreen; Vance Leininger, Aunt Mathilda Thornydyke; William Marsh, Dark Cloud; Robert Martz, Sheriff Smithers; Jacques Shoemaker, Amos B. Kirby; George Markley, Toonia; Garrett Fonda, Sepbus; Ward Powell, Sam; Malcolm MacFarlane, Noodles; Edward Markytan, Rottan; Sidney Baker, Jeppy, and William Flax, Mammy.

Gentlemen guests from the North are Fred, Graham, Alfred Clark, Alfred Jensen, and Robert Adkins. Lady guests from the North includes Charles Reilly, Winfield Elias, Robert Holbert, and John P. Heinke. The chorus includes Thurston Phelps, Neil Parks, William Pugsley, Edward Markytan, Ward Powell, John Johnson, Malcolm MacFarlane, Garrett Fonda, Norman Shaw, and Gerald Vitamvas.

The eight songs and their composers include "Run Around," by Imogene Souders; "Welcome," by Robert Pierce; "Southern Hospitality," by Marge Souders; "With You," by Imogene Souders; "The Old Fashioned Melody," by Marge Souders; "Racing Day in Dixie," by Marge Souders; "This Is the End," by Marge Souders, and "I Never Could Be True," by Imogene Souders.

ENGINEERS' WORK FOR OPEN HOUSE NEARLY FINISHED

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panies, and it is expected that several other companies will contribute.

Mechanical engineering department will show its shop and engine rooms in operation, under the supervision of Walter Gloor, department student chairman. Most fascinating feature of M. E. department, according to Mallon, is the foundry, where the foundry class will conduct a pour. Lathes and steam engines will be running in the laboratories. In the lecture room, students will give special liquid air demonstration.

Summing up committee activities, Mallon stated, "Engineer's week has developed into one of Nebraska's traditional spring events. Here in one night you can see a panorama of the engineering field and the important place it holds in modern civilization. A show of this kind is very rarely found except in such exhibitions as the World's Fair, and even that could not boast of some of the attractions we present."

FRATERNITY TEAMS ENTER INTRAMURAL BASEBALL CONTEST

Race Is Under Way as First Rounds Show Decisive Scoring.

The league intramural baseball race is under way in earnest with fraternity teams entering the third round of the league contests Wednesday.

In league 1 Phi Delta Theta triumphed over Farm House by the comfortable margin of 16 to 9, Phi Sigma Kappa took Zeta Beta Tau by the decisive margin of 9 to 1. Acacia took a tight one from Sigma Nu by 2 to 0, and Farm House beat Zeta Beta Tau by 11 to 1.

In league 2 Phi Kappa Psi and Phi Kappa Alpha retained league leadership, the Phi Psi's by smothering Delta Theta Phi under a barrage of hits to ring up an 18 to 4 triumph, the Pi K. A.'s by taking a close contest from Alpha Gamma Rho 4 to 2. Sigma Phi Epsilon bolstered its standing by hanging a 12 to 7 defeat on Kappa Sigma.

In league 3 Beta Theta Pi rang up a 2 to 0 victory over Alpha Sigma Phi in a tight contest, Lambda Chi Alpha turned Sigma Alpha Mu under to the tune of 12 to 3, and Alpha Tau Omega won over Delta Sigma Lambda by 12 to 3.

STATE HIGHWAY TESTING LAB REMODELS OLD BOILER HOUSE

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plant was built, the old engine room was remodeled to increase the division's floor space by 1,800 square feet. Last summer, one-third of the old boiler house was also given over to this work which added another 1,800 square feet. When the present renovating program is finished this summer, 3,800 square feet additional laboratory space will have been added. With the additional laboratory space and facilities thus made available, the university's highway testing division will meet the requirements of the federal bureau of public roads.

Materials that go into every new state and federal road in Nebraska are rigidly tested in these laboratories before they are used. In addition, the soils on which the roadbeds will be laid are also tested because it has been found that subsoil conditions have as much

to do with permanency of the road as the quality of the surfacing materials. One large laboratory is used for soil testing.

A wide variety of tests are required since maintenance as well as construction is included; and to these have been added tests of materials for the state departments. Tests are made of concrete and its ingredients; of oil road materials, of bricks, paint, snow fences, steel piling, safety lubricating oil, soap, sweeping compounds, insulated wire, etc. The tests of safety glass and flares are made in accordance with laws passed by the state legislature in 1933 and 1935 respectively, requiring the use of approved materials.

This testing work is another way in which the university serves the state other than thru education. In addition to supplying full time employment for 15 to 20 persons, the testing work affords part time employment for 10 to 20 engineering students. When they have graduated the state highway department can draw upon such students to obtain employees familiar with highway materials and their testing. The additional testing facilities also result in better courses in these subjects for students.

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